

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Wang, et al.

Application No.: 09/641,489

Filed: 8/17/2000

Title: Automation System for Controlling  
and Monitoring Devices and Sensors

Attorney Docket No.: 1018.050US1

Group Art Unit:  
2786

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF APPLICATION**

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This is in response to a Notice to File Missing Parts of Application under 37 CFR 1.53(f). Enclosed is a copy of said Notice and the following documents and fees to complete the filing requirements of the above-identified application.

(X) Executed Declaration and Power of Attorney. The above-identified application is the same application which the inventor executed by signing the enclosed declaration.

(X) Statutory basic filing fee (X) Utility = \$690.00

(X) Additional claim fees of \$144.00

(X) Missing Parts Surcharge = \$130.00

The total for the above is \$964.00. You are hereby authorized to charge these fees to the credit card as indicated on the attached Form 2038.

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## NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

## Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.  
*Applicant must submit \$ 690 to complete the basic filing fee and/or file a small entity statement claiming such status (37 CFR 1.27).*
- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is \$144.  
    ■ \$144 for 8 total claims over 20.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
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**REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT**

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Sir:

Attached is a copy of the official filing receipt received from the PTO in the above application for which issuance of a corrected filing receipt is respectfully requested.

There is an error with respect to the following data, which is incorrectly entered and/or omitted:

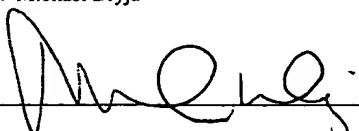
X	Applicant's name	Please add PARAMVIR BAHL, ISSAQUAH, WA and put the applicants in alphabetical order to read as follows: ANISH K. ARORA, COLUMBUS, OH; PARAMVIR BAHL, ISSAQUAH, WA; WILF G. RUSSELL, REDMOND, WA; YI-MIN WANG, BELLEVUE, WA; JUN XU, URBANA, IL
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X	Other	Under "Continuing Data as Claimed by Applicant," please change the word "WHICH" to "AND" on the second line to read: AND CLAIMS BENEFIT OF 60/184,631 02/24/2000

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## Continuing Data as Claimed by Applicant

THIS APPLN CLAIMS BENEFIT OF 60/149,390 08/17/1999  
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## Title

AUTOMATION SYSTEM FOR CONTROLLING AND MONITORING DEVICES AND SENSORS

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